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Response to Arguments

1. Applicant argues that

“Hirohata simply does not disclose or suggest "receiving... state information which indicates a state of a service," as advantageously recited in Claim 1. “

2. The examiner notes that Hirohata was not cited as the reference that teaches the receiving state information which indicates a state of a service. In fact Ferris was cited for this feature.

3. Applicant argues that,

“Ferris concerns a mobile telephone to which "information on price or availability of products being displayed in a TV program may be transmitted ,5 That is, Ferris merely describes transmitting information on a price or an availability of products. Ferris does not disclose or suggest "receiving... state information which indicates a state of a service," as advantageously recited in Claim 1.”

4. The examiner respectfully disagrees. As shown in Figure 2 and paragraph 29, Ferris teaches a mobile station displaying “Channel 5 news program is showing at 1:30 p.m”. For the mobile device to show such schedule/state information of what channel and program is on at what time, the mobile has to receive this state information. Therefore, Ferris does teaches the "receiving ... state information" of what program/channel is on at what time.
5. The examiner notes that “state information” is a very broad term which reads on many things. The examiner invites applicant to further define what “state information” means in the claim to further distinguish the claimed invention from the prior arts.
6. In view of the above arguments and reasons, the final rejection is maintained.